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HILLCREST ITEMS

Mrs. R. Mulholland, of Vancouver, was a Pass visitor last week. She returned for the funeral of her step-father, Mr. R. Geisler, of the Cowley district.

Mr. George Cruckshank accompanied his son-in-law, Doctor and Mrs. R. B. Burgman, of Blairmore, to Olds last Sunday, returning Tuesday. While there they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cruckshank.

On December second, the regular meeting of the United Church Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. J. Wojtula. Four new members were present. After the business session a social hour was enjoyed.

Mr. Robert Bianchini, who is serving with the Royal Canadian Navy, is home on furlough.

Lawrence Spence, who is employed in Kimberley, is visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Spence.

Friends are congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Herb Richards on the birth of a son last week in Calgary.

Mrs. S. Humble, formerly of Bellevue, who has been living in Calgary for a short time, has returned to the Pass and is now residing in Hillcrest.

There are about 17 species of albatross in the world.



"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. T. R. Haythorne, Minister

Services Sunday next:
11:00 a.m., Junior, Senior Schools.
7:30 p.m., Public Worship.
Saturdays, 10:30 a.m., Mission Band.
Each alternate Tuesday:
8 p.m., Young People's Society.

1st Wednesday of each month:
2:45 p.m., Ladies Aid meeting.

2nd Wednesday of each month:
8 p.m., Women's Missionary Society.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE (Anglican)

Rev. A. S. Dewdney, M.A., B.D.

Rector.

4th Sunday in Advent:
11 a.m., Sunday school.

7:30 p.m., Evensong and Litany.

CHRISTMAS EVE

11:30 p.m., Holy Eucharist.

Sunday After Christmas

11 a.m., Matins and carols.

The Christmas Tree and Entertainment, for the Sunday school children will take place in the parish hall on Monday, Dec. 20. Children will please come as soon as possible after school closes.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN
Lieuts. E. Burkhader & R. Chapman
Officers in charge.

Sunday services:
11 a.m., Holiness meeting.
2:30 p.m., Directory class.
3:00 p.m., Sunday school.
7:30 p.m., Evangelistic meeting.
Tuesday:
7:30 p.m., Women's meeting.
Thursday: 8 p.m., Midweek service.
All welcome.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Blairmore
Elders: M. L. Christensen, P. J. Dyson
in charge

Sunday services, in the Union Hall:
Sunday school 10:30 a.m.
Evening service 7:30 p.m.

The public is cordially invited.

Fever Cases Curable With Two New Drugs

An AP dispatch from New York: Two amazing new drugs, effective against such diseases as typhoid and Rocky Mountain fever, have been added to medicine's growing arsenal of germ killers.

The drugs, chloramycin and aureomycin, have been administered to several hundred patients suffering from various diseases, including virus pneumonia, undulant fever and "Q" fever.

The sometimes "astounding" results were described by Dr. Perrin Long of Johns Hopkins University at a meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association.

He disclosed that chloramycin has brought "dramatic cures" to 10 typhoid fever patients. So effective is chloramycin against typhoid fever that it may give medicine a chance to wipe out this century-old scourge altogether, Dr. Long declared. It also cures scrub typhus, encountered in Burma, New Guinea and the Philippines.

Aureomycin will probably be similarly potent against typhoid fever. Dr. Long told the association, but it is an "extraordinary" substance in its own right.

It has cured 13 Rocky Mountain spotted fever patients in Maryland hospitals, enabling patients to leave their beds in eight days.

The disease, carried by a tick, normally killed one of eight patients, but now can be cured by either chloramycin or aureomycin.

"You diagnose the fever before the patient dies," Dr. Long asserted.

Similarly, 16 to 17 patients laid low with virus pneumonia responded almost immediately to aureomycin doses and were virtually well within 24 hours, Dr. Long said.

Undulant fever, acquired through polluted milk or directly from cattle, is another apparent victim to aureomycin's magic. Five cases of acute undulant fever were cured within 72 hours.

Both new drugs are derived from moulds, like penicillin. Their "clinical history" is about nine months.

CHRISTMAS SEAL RETURNS

Christmas Seal returns for Lethbridge and district total \$7,290 towards an objective of \$12,500, according to George Draffen, chairman of the Kinsmen Club Christmas Seal committee.

The provincial total, reported by C. Robert Lickey, general secretary of the Alberta Tuberculosis Association, has now reached \$17,500. The provincial objective is \$125,000. Mr. Lickey said that reminders are being mailed to all those who have not yet responded, as it has been found that many people have every intention of sending a contribution, but in the hustle and bustle of the Christmas season are apt to put it off until reminded.

Contributions of any size are welcome, and are very much needed in order to carry on the association's TB prevention program, health education and rehabilitation. Contributions are allowable income tax deductions, and may be sent to Christmas Seal Headquarters, Lethbridge.

About 150 members and their wives enjoyed a social evening held by the Blairmore Moose Lodge No. 105 in the Hillcrest Miners Literary and Athletic Association social hall last week. Lunch was served during a dancing intermission and a blanked drawn for was won by Mrs. J. Lipnicka. A draw will be made on Dec. 23 for a \$30 hamper, containing a 15-pound turkey, 14-pound ham, as well as other valuable goodies.

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Wood's Christian Home Well Run Institution

One of the well organized and well run institutions of the province is the Wood's Christian Home in Calgary, designed as a real home for needy or orphaned children.

This long established refuge has provided a real home for hundreds of children, who otherwise might have been deprived of kindly and thoughtful upbringing. Those associated with administration have been of the highest character, and the board of trustees is made up of men of fine character, deeply interested in the welfare of the little charges in the Home.

The majority on the trustee board are from Calgary, with Lethbridge represented by Senator W. A. Buchanan, and Red Deer by F. P. Galbraith. The only representative from the towns of southern Alberta is I. L. McKeage of High River.

Any donations in the way of food, money, etc., which a kindly public feels inclined to give to this excellent institution are deeply appreciated.

The annual report of the Home gives an idea of the work carried on and the need for assistance in financial operation.

The report for 1947, issued some months ago, show that there were 94 children being taken care of at the beginning of the year. During the year there were 37 new children admitted and 40 discharged, leaving 91 at the end of the year. Those who left the Home returned to established homes or went to live with relatives. All arrangements in respect to admission or release were satisfactorily carried out.

Dr. J. V. Follett as MHO gives his service freely and voluntarily. Dr. J. Adams serves similarly as eye specialist and Dr. C. M. Johnson as dentist. The Calgary Herald equipped the home with up-to-date dental equipment and accessories. The general health of the children in 1947 was excellent.

In educational lines at the beginning of the year there were five preschool children, the rest all making progress. There are three teachers for the 86 or more pupils, ranging from primary to grade 9 inclusive. School inspectors gave a very favorable report. Good recreational programs are arranged with special celebrations at frequent intervals throughout the year. Playground equipment is considered important, and sports play a big part in recreational life.

The report stated that the property on the whole is in very good shape. Funds have been provided for landscaping the property, and this has been done with greatly improved effect. When building conditions are more favorable a school building will be erected.

Receipts for the year 1947 were \$30,568 and expenditures \$29,709. The cost of operation per inmate per day was 938 cents, a steadily rising figure. There was a grant of \$3,440 received from the Calgary Community Chest, and donations from the outside public amounted to \$13,819.

Many donations of food, clothing, house supplies, etc., were also received and gratefully acknowledged. In addition there are organizations that arrange entertainments and treats for children. Every Saturday afternoon the C. of C. arranges a picture show at the Home.

Mr. Steve Doreno of Calgary is a Blairmore business visitor and guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. Bert Shannon.

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She was only a miner's daughter, but, oh, what natural resources!

Where Time Goes (Ours Too)

Some time ago we wondered editorially what people did with the time saved by modern time-saving equipment, and Charles McLean of the Strathmore Standard has solved the problem for us as follows:

We reprinted an item from the Nanton News last week, wondering what use was being made of all the time that people save through today's wonderful time-saving inventions. And we thought it was a good question to ask.

But it took only a week to find the answer. Positively. All of this precious time, we find, is spent in adjusting and maintaining and repairing a lot of machinery we have to save us time. It works something like this: we put in this machinery to save us time, and do a good job—faster. Then, when we think we're ahead of the game, something goes haywire, and it takes all our time to get it working again, so that we can save time and do a good job—and so on.

We found out this way. We live in a house equipped with one of these stokers that feeds coal to the furnace, when the house gets cold, and shuts off when the house gets warm, and so forth. . . . It does everything but empty the ashes. At least, that's what the man said. But today the house gets cold, and switches clicked, and motors whirred—but no heat.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY

NICHOLAS WINTERS, M.D.

By FERN AUBLE

YOUNG Dr. Nick stood staring at the nameplate. He'd just taken it down from the front of the tiny office and the clean paint of the small, oblong space where the sign had hung for the past three years was still glaring at him, reflecting the light that hung the sign there himself. Fresh from his internship in the big hospital of the city several hundred miles away, he had come to this small village of Andover to take up the practice reluctantly relinquished by old Dr. Powers.

Doc Powers was almost a legend in this small Midwest community. For over fifty years, he had practiced here and everyone in the entire county knew and trusted him. It had never made any difference to Doc whether you had money or not. If you needed him, that was enough. But, finally, the overworked machine rebelled and that's how it happened that young Dr. Nicholas Winters had taken over.

It hadn't all been easy, settling that old office. People used to Dr. Powers were reluctant to transfer that confidence to a stranger. He remembered the pride with which that sign had been hung; he remembered the long wait before his first patient. The people were friendly enough, but they simply resisted judgment.

Dr. Powers, once his successor was settled in Mrs. Laird's rooming house, left Andover to live with his daughter in California. Dr. Nick had watched him leave with mingled emotions. He was anxious to get started on his own, but Doc Powers had been moral support.

His first patient had been little Jimmy Donovan. Manfully, he had attempted to cut wood and the axe had slipped. Mrs. Donovan had carried him to Dr. Powers' office in a white. It was a nasty gash and Dr. Nick's hands were gentle as he cleansed and bound the leg.

By the end of the first year, he was not only the town's doctor but its friend.

Then, without warning, he had received a letter from Dr. Graham, offering him a position on the staff of the hospital where he had interned. It was unthinkable that he refuse.

As word got around of his departure, there was consternation in the town.

"Course, he's got a right to do what he wants, but it does seem like a shame to come here just long enough for *ticks* to get used to him and then pick up and leave!" This

from old Mrs. Sharpe.

"I don't blame him for leaving. He's wasted here in this moss-grown town." Denise Randall's eyes were stormy and her lovely, rebellious mouth twisted with envy.

Dr. Nick tried not to mind the accusatory looks, even though the business of closing up the office. There was all his equipment to be packed. He planned to take it along with him, not knowing just why, since he'd not be needing it at the modern equipment hospital. There were no ways out to town, but he was almost embarrassed lost in his eyes as he admitted to himself that it was probably simply sentiment that made him refuse to give up these shining, gleaming proofs of his craftsmanship.

He was about to go outside when he knew he'd done a good job here; that the people liked and trusted him as they had liked and trusted old Dr. Powers. He knew that for as long as he liked, he would be welcome and needed here, not only for his medical prowess, but for himself, as well.

As he stowed everything in the car, he felt a twinge of remorse and wondered if he had made the right decision. These people needed a doctor. Was he being selfish unheeding of that need? The bare space where his sign had been seemed to taunt him.

He turned abruptly and climbed into the car. As he drove down the street he passed a group of boys playing in the street. Jimmy Donovan was one of them. Dr. Nick waved to him, but Jimmy only stared at him. Dr. Nick flushed with irritation and told himself that it was his own life he had to plan, not that of a town. But Jimmy's action had been a blow.

As he reached the outskirts, he passed the house of Andrew Holmes. Andrew had been one of Dr. Nick's closest friends. Their friendship had taken root when Dr. Nick had begun treating Mrs. Holmes who had been bedridden for several years. In the past two months, at the series of treatments he had been giving her were helping and lately there had been a new look of hope in the gentle-pain-filled eyes.

Now, to stand here, rejected, with eyes that had been behind them. So far as Dr. Nick knew, there was no one to succeed him. Andrew had said nothing about the treatments when he learned that Dr. Nick was leaving the town, but there had been a hint, questioning look far back in his eyes.

Finally, a mile out of town, Dr. Nick stopped the car and sat for a moment thinking. Then, with an air of determination, he turned the car around and drove back to town.

As he passed the Holmes residence, he grimmed. "I wonder," he thought, "if Andrew will still let me continue those treatments?" He felt a strange sureness within him that some day, not too far distant, Mary Holmes would be walking again.

C. Lander, Cleveland, Tenn.

The Unexplainable Friendship. Tug Of Rural Life Succeeded Again.

He passed the same group of boys playing in the street, and once more he waved to Jimmy Donovan, and held his breath until he received an answering salute from Jimmy.

As he reached the tiny office once more, he had the feeling of coming home from a long and weary journey. He jumped out of the car and strode up the walk. Halfway up the walk, he stopped and stared in amazement. There, covering the bare clean spot once more, was his own sign—Nicholas Winters, M.D.

He went on up the walk and stood looking at it. He reached out hesitantly and touched the familiar letters.

He looked around to find Andrew Holmes standing at his side, laughing.

"Andrew," Dr. Nick said bewilderedly. "I don't understand."

"Shucks, boy, I knew you'd be back." Andrew's eyes were compassionately understanding, as he put his hand on Dr. Nick's shoulder.

"I think I was wrong," he continued. "I never knew I was thinking about you. You're just not the kind to desert people who need you. And you know we need you here."

As Dr. Nick entered the familiar, friendly office, he wondered vaguely what young sprout would be taking over here some fifty years hence. (Copyright Wheeler Newspaper Syndicate)

Plaint Of Editor's Wife

He assured me it was "em" and "em" that would always be his 4-star final. Yet he seems to have been revamped. By "em" or, in a manner quite headachy, I sit at home alone and lonely while he ardently pursues And puts to bed his favorite for his mistress is the Weekly News.

I think I'll set a deadline, Tell him I have been done dirty—

For if I must compete with a font of type:

I think I'll call it "30":

C. Lander, Cleveland, Tenn.

Annual Dog Race Jan. 20

WINNIPEG.—With a total of \$1,500 in cash prizes at stake, Manitoba trappers and their dog teams will race for the "Prix du Cranberry Portage" on Jan. 20 in the Canadian championship dog race, the Northern Manitoba Trappers' festival committee of The Pas chamber of commerce announced.

Route of the race will be the newly-completed portion of the Flin Flon. The gas highway between The Pas and Cranberry Portage. First prize will be \$1,000, second, \$300, and third, \$200.

The race starts at The Pas on the morning of the 20th. Teams will remain in Cranberry Portage, 54 miles north of Flin Flon, until the morning of the dash back in the morning, leaving according to their elapsed time.

Deadline for entries is midnight, Jan. 18. The race will be open, with any kind of hitch, any kind of sleigh and any number of dogs allowed in a team.

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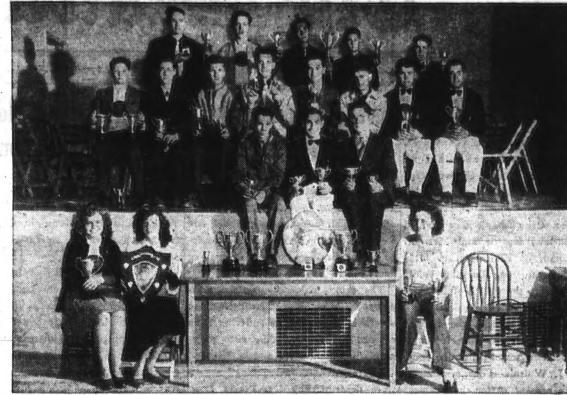
"Prices are too high," he said as he climbed back into a plane for the winter trip.

His only purchase: four chromium-plated door handles to brighten up his rusty 1939 model.

PEGGY



Finest Of Junior Grain Fairs —



Over 500 attended one of the finest Junior Grain Fairs in Western Canada, held recently in the new Memorial Hall at Beiseker, Alberta. Sponsored by the Beiseker Board of Trade and the Drumheller District Agricultural Society, five Grain Clubs took part in the contests. Included were the Acme, Carbon, Beiseker, Irricana, Level Land and the Beiseker Grain Clubs. The quality and quantity of their exhibits and judging was outstanding.



The winning grain club exhibit at Beiseker was built around soil conservation by the Acme Wheat Club.

Cougar, Deer Battle To Death

KELOWNA, B.C.—Deer versus cougars usually goes the way of the cougars, but five local hunters came away with convincing evidence that it doesn't always.

In this case death was the victor. Hunters Geoff Johnson, Charlie Sherman, George Sherman, Jim McCauley and John Baur, hunting near Carnar, 45 miles southeast of here on the Kettle Valley rail line, found the remains of a big buck and a large coule, side by side, locked in death.

The horns of the buck were nearly ripped from the sockets and the head of the coule was smashed, with the jaw almost torn off. One of the deer's hind legs was firmly imbedded in the coule's jaw. They believe the death struggle must have lasted for hours.

Western Briefs

VICTORIA, B.C.—Farmers are now allowed to kill muskrats by any means. The animals have grown so numerous they threaten dyke-protected areas. Previously regulations were that they could only be trapped.

NORTH BATTLEFORD, Sask.—A hunter who had trapped a buck in a trap on the Battleford River at Bajenne, found a note inside indicating it had been tossed into the river by Tom Pomphrey at Edmonton on Oct. 1, 1928.

CALGARY—Soil, not climate, will be the limiting factor in agricultural development in Canada's Northwest Territories. Dean J. W. Grant MacEwen of the University of Manitoba said in an address at the annual meeting of the United Grain Growers. He predicted that cereals would be grown at Norman Wells, almost within sight of the Arctic Circle, this year.

CONGRESS, Sask.—The Congress party has sent the following telegram to President Harry Truman at Washington: "We of this town, named after your national legislature and whose streets are named after your illustrious past presidents, Roosevelt, Wilson, Taft and Washington, wish to congratulate you on your signal success in polls."

VANCOUVER.—Reports on mechanical refrigeration tests made in connection with a recent large shipment of frozen fruits and vegetables show highly satisfactory results.

COWS GET TOUGH

MARENGO, Wis.—Farmers around Marengo claim they have some of the toughest cows there are. Theodore Lehmanns, U.S. forest service at Clark Lake, saw a dozen head of young cattle "gang up" on a bear and chase it more than 500 yards into the woods.

Sapphires are not only deep blue in color, but there are yellow, orange, purple, pink, lavender, and blue and green sapphires. They are found in Ceylon, Burma, Thailand, Australia and the United States.

Pedals Bicycle Across Canada

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—Johnny Kenny of Tipton, Ayrshire, couldn't sell his bicycle before leaving Scotland, so he brought it with him and pedaled from Eastern Canada to the West, and sold here. Kenny made the trip in one month after landing in the dominion Aug. 7. An electric welder by trade, he earned money for necessities on the way.

"Rather than lose money on my bicycle, I brought it to Canada and put it to good use," he said. "I found everybody most friendly. A few lifts helped me along."

Their Honeymoon Has Never Ended

KIEWANEE, Ill.—Rev. Loyal Thompson has performed his 1,000th wedding ceremony and he recalled recently one marriage he thinks must be sulfureously happy after many years.

Dr. Thompson said that after one of his early ceremonies, in 1922, the bridegroom promised to pay the wedding fee as soon as the honeymoon ended.

"He hasn't come back yet," the minister said, "and, far as I know, the honeymoon has never ended."

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Poultrymen Seek Egg Market

OTTAWA—The Canadian Poultry Council will ask the government to help find world markets other than the United Kingdom for some \$10,000,000 worth of Canadian eggs next year.

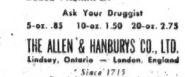
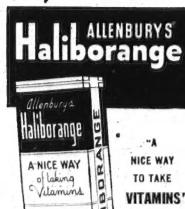
The poultrymen said they will ask that the scope of the special products board of the agriculture department be broadened so that it can negotiate with other markets than Britain.

Oshawa, Ontario—Block on water and electric, close to home, is the new feature of the new Oshawa buildings. 57 feet by 34 feet, lower floor cement walls and floor plan designed for easy manufacturing. Could be divided. Small experiments given. Half the entrance on two floors. Price \$12,500.00. Apply Box 59, Oshawa, Ontario.

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World News In Pictures



HAPPIEST MOTHER in Toronto recently was Mrs. E. Bowyer, seen with her son Bob, 10. She fainted when told he had been killed in front of their home, fainted again when he was into her arms. "I lived a whole lifetime ago," she said, and identified the traffic victim as Robert William, six, who was hit by a truck.



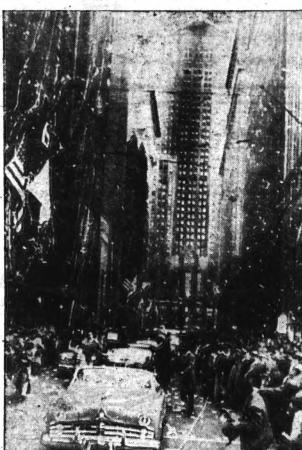
SOME DOG! — Jack puffs a pipe, wears glasses and a fedora when he strolls in Seattle, Wash., with his owner, Edgar Smith, but that's not all. Jack also walks a tight-wire, rides a bicycle and recently helped introduce a fountain pen by writing his name with one.—S.N.S. photo.



OPENS PARLIAMENT WITH FULL CEREMONY — For the first time in ten years, the King wore his crown and red velvet parliamentary robes, and full ceremonial was observed when he opened parliament recently. The event regained much of its former pomp and splendor. Making the event unique in its history was the presence of representatives of all the legislatures of the commonwealth. In the above photo, the King and Queen, the latter smiling happily, are seen leaving after the ceremony.—S.N.S. photo.



QUIT SHIP TO WED GIRL, SEAMAN MAY STAY — The government has decided to allow Kenneth David Darling, British merchant seaman, to enter Canada to marry his Edmonton sweetheart, it has been announced from Ottawa. Darling previously had been barred from making his home in Canada, because he suffered from tuberculosis. He deserted a ship at New York to get into Canada a month. Eileen, 19, is 20, with immigrant girl now living in Edmonton. He has been held by immigration officials at Emerson, Man. Ken and Eileen are pictured above.—S.N.S. photo.



A TYPICAL SCENE before and after the recent United States presidential election is a view of Chicago's bus La Salle street. The streets were jammed with people and from office building windows overhead showers of confetti, ticker tape and paper fell upon processions of different candidates.—S.N.S. photo.



UP AFTER TWELVE WHEELCHAIR YEARS — Lionel Barrymore, who spent the last 12 years in a wheelchair, can walk again. And ever since the story got out, he growled, he hasn't had a moment's peace. "Phone calls, letters, telegrams," he grumbled. "Dad, why do you have to make me famous? Everybody wants to know how he did it, to congratulate him for doing it." "Doctor's orders" says Barrymore. "I just went on a diet. Lost 30 pounds. Gonna lose 20 more." Lionel Barrymore is pictured with son, B. Mayer and Myrna Loy. Contrary to common belief, Barrymore was not suffering from arthritis, but his paraparesis was the result of an accident.—S.N.S. photo.



RETIRED MINISTER INHERITS \$40,000 FORTUNE — Left a \$40,000 fortune and a 20-room mansion in England by the will of a spinster sister, 80-year-old William Kendall, (left), retired Methodist minister, who lives on the border of the Gibson Indian reservation near Bala, Ont. He is shown with his wife, Mrs. William Kendall, or the property. He says he wants to spend his remaining years among his Indian relatives and friends. Indian wife of minister, Mrs. William Kendall, (right), died two years ago. Mr. Kendall's inheritance was made known recently on publication of the will of the late Mr. Kendall, who died at Pickering, York, Eng., last March.



FACTORY WORKER LUCKY SWEEPSTAKE WINNER — The lucky Canadian who held lucky sweepstakes tickets was Mr. Albert Robins, Toronto, a 25-a-week factory laborer. The ticket is worth approximately \$40,000, if he can get the money out of Erie. Mr. and Mrs. Robins are pictured above.—S.N.S. photo.



BEST FRIEND KILLS BOY, 15, IN ACCIDENT — Target practice too tame. Bernard Doumoulin, 17, and Ronald Delaney, 15, St. Catharines, Ont., took cover and fired .22s in "shambles." Doumoulin shot a finger off his right hand. He is shown above. Delaney, shown below, is a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Officers' Association and Wildfang where "game" had tragic ending. Bernard, shown top right, says they got up to end game when his gun went off. Ronald/Delaney, bottom right, who was rushed to hospital but was dead before arrival.—S.N.S. photo.



AMONG IMMIGRANTS — Pamela Cunningham, 6½, was among one of the largest group of immigrants from Ireland and Scotland to arrive in Canada in recent months. She is going to Hamilton, Ont. Pamela, a Londoner, said "I think I shall like Canada quite well."—S.N.S. photo.



GETS ROYAL COMMAND — Youngest star chosen for the Royal Canadian variety performance at London's Palladium, Ont. Above, a young coloratura soprano, studies her school books prior to going on stage in musical review.—S.N.S. photo.



EARNS TITLE OF CHAMPION WOLF TRAPPER — Champion wolf trapper of North Hastings, Ont., is the title claimed by Albert Saulty, of Turf Hill, near Bancroft, Ont., shown holding recent catch of 10 pets. Saulty has trapped over 100 wolves in the neighborhood.—S.N.S. photo.

Mrs. Fred Padgett of Bellevue was which will be held in their auditorium a Letbridge visitor the early part of on Tuesday, Dec. 21.

Miss Mary Oiles and Miss Joyce Members of the Bellevue United Mallet were among those who represent church Sunday school are busy presenting the National Employment Service for their Christmas concert, i.e. Blairmore, at an annual banquet

and dance of the NUIC held at the Renfrew club in Calgary last week.

Members of the Canadian Legion branch No. 7 will relax in easy chairs are still losing considerable time due to their Blairmore club room on to the lack of CPR rolling stock. The Christmas Eve, while the male choir strip mines are not working to full

capacity due to weather conditions, and quite a number of men are being laid off.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Perozak and son Ronny accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Switzer to Calgary last week end.

Mrs. Murray Smith has secured employment at Thornton & Sons store in Blairmore during the Christmas rush season.

Malaria is one of the oldest diseases of mankind.

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Turtle Mountain Playgrounds

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Situated beneath towering mountains on the main highway through the Pass and on what may be a link of the Trans-Canada highway, Turtle Mountain Playgrounds soon became the mecca for sports enthusiasts and dancers, for all in one building they could dine, dance and have a moonlight swim in heated water.

That the venture has been a success is proven by the fact that Saturday night dance lovers make it a habit to congregate at Turtle Mountain Playgrounds. They have been coming in such numbers to Turtle Mountain Playgrounds that Proprietor John Kerr has had to enlarge the dance hall area to 3,000 feet and the enlarged facilities will be ready for dance lovers this week.

Patrons are not counted from Frank alone, where Turtle Mountain Playgrounds is situated, but they come from all points in the Crows Nest Pass, and especially in the holiday season, from many States in the Union and provinces across Canada stop at the "Playgrounds."

The new addition to the Playgrounds, Mr. Kerr states, will do double duty. When not used as a floor for dancing, the extra space will be available for banquets and other occasions.

Turtle Mountain Playgrounds, with its ideal location and ultra-modern facilities, is a credit to the Pass, and to its proprietor, Mr. John Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Morgan have returned to Calgary, where Dewey is receiving treatments for a leg injury which he received while at work in the Blairmore mine about 10 months ago.

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EVEN IN SASKATCHEWAN

Even in CCF Saskatchewan they
are beginning to learn that basic
lesson. In that province where
the provincial government was
able for a time to boost its
revenue by taking over all the private
industry it could get its hands on, Premier
Douglas' provincial treasurer
now announces that there must be
some "tightening up of the purse
strings."

Some of the much touted govern-
ment activities are to be curtailed,
some of its not nearly so publicized
heavy taxes are to be boosted.

Mr. Douglas was fortunate, indeed,
to be able to postpone the "about
turn" until after the recent election
which he was just able to win. He
will have a tough job trying to hide
the enormous cost of his socialist ad-
venture from now on.—Ex.

THAT BABY BONUS

(Toronto Financial Post)

In announcing to a local meeting
of the Neighborhood Workers Associa-
tion that baby bonus cheques would
be distributed earlier this month, a
regional director for family allowances
is reported to have said this:

"A total of \$22.5 millions will go
to families across Canada in the gov-
ernment Christmas gift."

A government gift indeed!

The person who supplied the money
for this Christmas gift is the same
old Santa Claus who foots the bills
for Junior's electric train or mother's
negligee.

Family allowances, like all other
government money, comes from one
source only, the taxpayer! All that
Ottawa does is to collect it in taxes,
and after deducting a sizable percentage
for overhead, to pay an army of
collectors, clerks, bookkeepers, auditors
and other civil servants, returns
what is left to the taxpayer.

Mr. Alex Lazarenko of Hillcrest is
still suffering from an arm injury
which he received over a month ago.
He still has his arm in a cast.



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I HAVE A BOY
(Author Unknown)
I've a wonderful boy, and I say to
him, Son, Be fair and square in the race you
must run.
Be brave if you lose and meek if you
win,
Be better and nobler than I've ever
been,
Be honest and fearless in all that you
do,
And honor the name that I have given
to you.

I have a boy and I want him to know,
We're poor in life just about what we
sow,
And we get what we earn, be it little
or great,
Regardless of luck and regardless of
fate.
I will teach him and show him, the
best that I can,
That it pays to be honest and upright
— a man.

I will make him a pal and partner
of mine,
And show him the things in this world
that are fine.
I will show him the things that are
wicked and bad
For I figure this knowledge should
come from his dad.
I will walk with him, talk with him,
play with him; too,
And to all of my promises, strive to
be true.

We will grow up together, I'll, too,
be a boy,
And share in his troubles and share
in his joys.
We'll work out our problems together,
and then
We will lay out our plans when we
both will be men;
And oh, what a wonderful joy this will
be to me.
No pleasure in life could be greater to
me.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS

BRIEFLY TOLD

Six companies have asked the board of governors for permission to establish television broadcasting stations in Canada, but decisions on all applications were reserved.

Bread rationing has ended in the Benelux countries—Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg—it is announced Belgium is now free of all food rationing.

The Israeli State Council approved the official Israeli flag to be flown upside down across the field with a blue Star of David between the stripes.

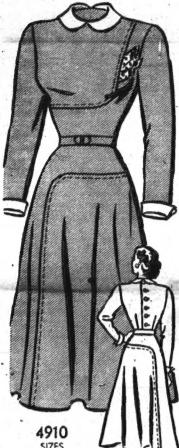
Delivery of night mail by helicopter is being tried by British European Airways, which already has conducted successful experiments in day-light deliveries.

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will visit several western Canadian centres next March during her extended lecture tour, it was reported in Winnipeg. Her first western address is scheduled for Winnipeg March 24.

Pakistan has bought two "O" class destroyers H.M.S. Onslow and H.M.S. Offa from Britain.

France and the United States have signed an agreement to spend up to \$1,000,000 a year for the exchange of professors and students.

Fashions



By ANNE ADAMS

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MOULD FOR DOLLS CAN COST \$20,000

VANCOUVER—You can have a doll that blows bubbles, drinks water, and burps, or you can have a doll made to order—for about \$18,000. Shirley Freeman, executive of a large doll shop, conducted a small wine statistic on his annual pre-Christmas pilgrimage here.

He said the original mould for a doll may run as high as \$20,000. Mass-production from the mould brings them down to the customer's pocket book.

"Everybody wants Canadian dolls," said Freeman, who presented the Dionne quintuplets with a set of five dolls and sold thousands of copies to visitors.

He created a special doll for Princess Elizabeth when she married, and gave Queen Wilhelmina of Holland four dolls for her grandchildren.

No—he hasn't yet developed one to chew bubble-gum.

OCEAN PLANTS

Ocean plants are not found deeper than a quarter of a mile under the surface of the water. This quarter-mile represents the limit of sunlight penetration, according to the World Book Encyclopedia.

More men than women die of cancer in Canada.

Champion Sheep And Hogs



Above: Champion sheep Shropshire ram at Regina Winter Fair shown by Jas. Whitehead, Saskatoon.

Above: James Whitehead, also brought out the champion Southdown ram at the Regina Winter Fair.

Left: Champion wether lamb was this Southdown shown by W. J. Bricker, Donovan.

Left: Champion market hog at Regina was this gilt shown by W. P. Taylor and son, Melfort. Right: grand champion sow was shown by Chas. Hartlin and Son, Belle Plaine, Sask.

HEALTH

Dust May Cause Infantile Eczema

The possibility that house dust is an important cause of atopic dermatitis, or infantile eczema, is advanced by Jerome Glaser, M.D., of Rochester, N.Y., writing in a recent issue of The Journal of the American Medical Association.

Infantile eczema is an allergy disease which, he believes, is caused by direct contact of the skin with certain allergens, as well as by allergens which have been inhaled and which reach the skin through the blood stream. An allergen is any substance which is capable of inducing an allergic or specific susceptibility in the body. The characteristic of atopic dermatitis are weeping areas, scales and crusts, and itching or burning sensations. The affliction is commoner in infants and children because their tender skins are more easily penetrated by allergens than those of adults.

According to Dr. Glaser, "the characteristic distribution of atopic dermatitis, with lesions worse on the face, the area of the arms below the elbows and in the area of the legs below the knees, suggests a possible contact origin." The writer adds, he says, "it is tempting to consider that such lesions might be caused by a ubiquitous and powerful allergen, house dust, which could act either by contact or inhalation."

As further evidence of the importance of house dust in causing infantile eczema, Dr. Glaser points out that "the often remarkably beneficial results of hospitalization are commonly attributed to avoidance of house dust as well as of other environmental factors," adding that good results in the removal of the conditions have also been attained by treating patients with injections of house dust extract.

According to the article, there is no completely satisfactory treatment of infantile eczema and therefore patients should do the best they can with a disease which is usually self-limited, with a tendency to spontaneous remissions and eventual recovery regardless of therapy."

Prophylactic, or preventive measures, such as avoidance of dust or irritating wool clothing, are considered important in the methods of treatment of the disease. Special baths prepared by adding a cup or two of cornstarch to a tub of tepid water, are also recommended for early stages of the disease.

The local application of paste of resinous materials, or one part zinc oxide to one part cornstarch, and a starch, and two parts white petroleum is highly satisfactory in more advanced or chronic stages. In all cases of atopic dermatitis, the article says, it is well to put the patient on a simple elimination diet, which includes substitutions for cow's milk and the administration of vitamins A and C.

GLASS SNAKE SWIFT

The glass snake is often found in loose soil of dry fields from Illinois to Florida and westward into Mexico. It is not fast, but can move swiftly by serpentine movements. Its tail is so loosely articulated and free of muscle that when overtaken and an attempt made to capture it, the tail breaks off like a bit of glass. It is quickly renewed by a new growth and the animal is not injured.

MANUFACTURING PROPANE GAS

CALGARY—Manufacture of propane gas in commercial quantities started in Canada for the first time recently with the official opening of the Western Propane Ltd., of Calgary plant in the Turner Valley oil field.

Initial quantities of propane gas have been manufactured and sold in Canada as a minor by-product of oil refineries. However, the new \$500,000

Turner Valley plant is believed to be the first constructed solely for the manufacture of the gas. It uses natural gas that formerly was "flared" or wasted at the wellhead.

Propane is the natural gas that comes out of the well. Chief constituent of the gas is methane. In its natural state, propane is too light and volatile for use in ordinary natural gas transmission, distribution and consumption systems. The natural gas is compressed and condensed into a liquid for easy transportation and handling. It changes readily to a gas when used.

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VERTICAL

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6	Macassar	Macassar oil
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Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

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LITTLE REGGIE



PRISCILLA'S POP—Knows Her Rights



No Relaxation In Regulations For Canadians Travelling In United States

OTTAWA—There will be no relaxation in the regulations rationing United States dollars for pleasure travel during the ensuing year, Hon. Doug Abbott, Minister of Finance, announced.

He stated that present regulations, instituted a year ago as part of Canada's dollar saving program, would continue in force during the period from January 16, 1948, to November 15, 1949.

At this time he said it was expected that the rationing of pleasure travel during the past 12 months was expected to show a saving of between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000. The present maximum amount of United States dollars which any Canadian resident may obtain for pleasure travel will be \$150, and in the case of children 11 years and under, \$100.

The Minister paid tribute to the Canadian public for its cooperation during the past year in complying with both the spirit and letter of travel regulations. Referring to the saving of \$40,000,000 or \$50,000,000 he said this substantial sum had been made available for many essential goods and commodities during this period.

"Decision to continue the pleasure

travel rationing," said Mr. Abbott, "was reached after a most careful assessment of all factors relating to Canada's United States dollar position. It was felt that the rationing of pleasure travel had been successful in many other respects made necessary by exchange difficulties. Therefore, to the extent that the exchange situation had improved, it was reasonable to relax the more burdensome regulations first. Travel restriction, however, will be maintained as soon as conditions warrant."

Form "H" permits will continue to be necessary to take out of Canada more than \$40 U.S. or more than \$25 in U.S. and Canadian funds combined. As a result, there will be no restriction on the number of pleasure trips taken by Canadians in the United States as long as the annual allotment is not exceeded. Any U.S. dollars obtained for one trip will be available for another.

Applications for U.S. dollars for business, health or educational travel will continue to receive special consideration, it was stated.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

HONOR

By humility and the fear of the Lord are riches, and honor. —Proverbs 22:4.

The surest way to live in honor in the world is to be in reality what we appear to be.—Socrates.

Honor and shame from no condition rise.

Act in your part: there all the honor lies. —Pope.

By skillful conduct and artificial means a person may make a sort of name for himself; but if the inner man be wanting, all is vanity, and will not last.—Goethe.

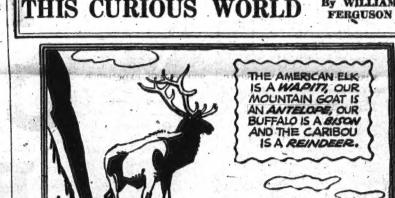
Honor to faithful merit is delayed, and always has been; but it is sure to follow.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Be noble-minded! Our own heart, and not other men's opinion, forms our true honor.—Schiller.

Weekly Tip

SHARP RAZOR-BLADES

Place blade flat on the inside of an empty cheese glass and press your finger against it, rubbing back and forth. Turn blade over and repeat the process.



ANSWER: Santa Fe, New Mexico. Cheyenne, Wyoming, also.

is a higher-altitude capital than Denver.

By Margarita



The East African Colonies

SINCE THE WAR THE PEOPLE OF BRITAIN have been chiefly concerned with building up industries and their homes, and following the war, the aid given by their government to the colonies. At the same time it is evident that time and money have been devoted to the British colonies in East Africa and that progress is being made in carrying out the policy laid down some time ago for developing the natural resources and encouraging the native population to adopt modern methods of industry and agriculture and improve living standards. Mr. Rees Williams, Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, returned to Britain recently after visiting East Africa and brought back some interesting facts concerning progress which is being made there.

Industries To Be Established Comparable in size to Western Europe, East Africa has a population of between twelve and fourteen million people. At the present time some areas are thinly populated because of the terrain, a fact which infests large sections of Tanganyika and Uganda. The government is undertaking a program of extermination and it is hoped that these areas may soon be made more habitable. As part of the plan for economic development a heavy building program will be established in the U.S.A. which will provide power for copper, steel and cotton mills, to be set up in that district. Although Britain is at present short of steel, Mr. Rees Williams urged that the government should raise the allocation of steel for East Africa to provide railway equipment which is urgently needed. The establishment of heavy industries and the settling of more British people in these colonies was also strongly recommended by the Under-Secretary.

Stress Danger Of Erosion It was also reported that mass education is being energetically promoted and that there are extensive facilities for training the native population in modern methods of tilling the land. The importance of agriculture in the East African territory was emphasized and it was pointed out that there is much new land to be brought under cultivation. However, it was also pointed out that there is danger there of soil erosion and that it is important that settlers should be carefully selected and that overpopulation of the areas should be avoided. The need for British settlers to go to Africa and to the Indian sub-continent to teach agriculture and crafts and to lead the way in raising living standards was stressed by Mr. Rees Williams. It is to be hoped that Britain's plans for the development of these colonies will continue to advance and that industry and agriculture will prosper.



IRRIGATION PROJECT ON INDIAN RESERVE

REGINA, SASK.—There may be an irrigation project in operation by 1948 on the Piapot Indian reserve in southern Saskatchewan's Qu'Appelle valley. But the man who prompted the project won't be there to see it. Tribe members recently said good-bye to a 25-year-old Indian who was a Mormon missionary to the band for the last two years, who returned home to Grace, Idaho.

Mr. Smith's plans involved the use of spring runoff water for irrigation. Indians said the water would construct the dam. Preliminary plans are already drawn up.

REMEMBER THE BIRDS —

Now's the time to get your bird traps and feeding troughs ready if you want to have little feathered friends visit you throughout the winter. Train them to come to you rather than the other fellow, and don't forget to like water, even if the weather is cold. Put some warm water in the bird water and see them enjoy it.

REALLY SEEING RED

KENOSHA, Wis.—John Dufale complained to the police that he had lost more than 1,000 goldfish he raised red and blue. Next, his cucumber patch got a red coat. Finally, he discovered that each ear of his corn had been daubed with red paint.

In the Middle Ages the betrothal was an important, if not an essential, part of the marriage transaction.

IS BACKACHE JUST A SIGN OF AGE?

Many people suffer an aching back needlessly—believing you must expect a few aches and pains when you're "getting on in years." In fact, backache is often caused by the faulty action of kidneys and liver. See how much better you feel after taking Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the special medical ingredients for both the kidney and liver disorders which often cause backache. If you're feeling weak, tired, listless, with aches in the spinal joints and aching back—look to your kidneys and liver. Try Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills tonight. At all drug counters. 16



FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Motorist: "How far to the next town?"

Native: "About three miles in a bee line."

Motorist: "Well, how far is it if the bee has to walk and I am driving along?"

Native: "You're lecturing junior!"

Mr.: "You forgot, dear, get his school report tomorrow and I have to leave on this trip to-night."

Do you think you know all about how to run a newspaper?"

"No, sir, I do not."

"Well, I'll try you. You talk like you've had experience."

In Africa some of the native tribes have the custom of beating the ground with clubs and uttering spine-chilling cries. Anthropologists call this a form of primitive self-expression. In America, we call it golf.

Junkman: "Any rage, paper, old iron?"

Householder: "No, my wife's away."

Junkman: "Any bottles?"

The gift was still on the wed- ding ring of the customer who was buying a cookery book.

"I think I'll take this one at half-a-crown," she said at length?

"We have a larger edition of that at five shillings," the assistant said timidly.

"No thank you," replied the bride shyly: "you see, both my husband and I are small eaters."

A little boy in the country for the first time yelled, "Oh, mammy, look at the cute little green snake."

The mother, in the country for the first time, said, "Put it down, dear at once. It might be dangerous as a ripe one."

An armed bandit dashed into a post office.

"Hands up!" he shouted to the assistant. "Let me have the cash, stamps, and postal orders, quick!"

The nervous assistant licked his lips.

"Farther up the counter," he stammered. "This is the dog license section."

At the headquarters of the Yugoslav secret police they were questioning a recently arrested man, "what is your attitude toward the people's regime?"

"The same as toward my wife."

"What do you mean?"

"Before marriage I loved her; now I'm afraid of her."

FALSE TEETH FOR SHEEP

SAFETY LACES The Canadian dentist is trying to market false teeth for sheep. The dentist says sheep wear away their bicuspids by constant nibbling on short grass.

NEVER DOMESTICATED

The author of *Latinamerica* and the fascinators of the Caucasus never has really been domesticated, although several experimental crossings have been made between it and tame cattle.

Directors Of Alberta Beekeepers' Association



Re-elected directors of the Alberta Beekeepers' Association for 1948 and 1949 at the annual convention in Calgary were: Pete Kowalski, Bon Accord vice-president; Harry T. Philpott, Brooks; president; R. E. English, Edmonton, past president; and W. G. le Maistre, Edmonton, secretary-treasurer.

Western Hockey Players Well Represented In Major Leagues

WINNIPEG LEADS

Winnipeg, Man., the "Gateway to Canada's Golden West", is the birthplace of more National Hockey League players than any other city. Ten of the 99 players in the NHL this season were born in Winnipeg.

Toronto is next with six native sons performing in the NHL, and is followed by Montreal with five and Saskatchewan with four.

Out of the 99 NHL players only eight were not born in Canada. Four of these were born in the United States, two in Scotland and one each in Ireland and Finland.

Stillion Kills Self In 'Plane

LONDON—Djalal, a high-strung Persian stallion, went mad with fright on the first leg of an air trip to the United States recently and killed himself in efforts to kick his way out of the plane.

The four-year-old horse, winner of races in England, was sold recently to an American syndicate of breeders for \$225,000.

Seventeen dogs, all barking frantically, were cooped in the plane with the frenzied Djalal and were still yapping when the pilot took off again after making an emergency stop at Bovingdon airport to get rid of the carcass.

Officials at Bovingdon said "from the pilot's account it is a wonder the horse did not kick itself out into the air."

One official said Djalal "had a rough time in the air and actually killed himself."

May EASY SOUND WAVES FOR PURIFYING WATER

OTTAWA—High-frequency sound waves may soon be used instead of chlorine and other agents to purify water, visitors to the Canadian Institute of Sewage and Sanitation convention said.

George S. Russell of St. Louis, president of the Federation of Sewage Works Associations, said in an interview that the supersonic waves may be used for water sterilization but that the matter is still in the experimental stage.

SELECTED RECIPES

BAKED CUSTARD

3 slightly beaten eggs
1/4 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
2 1/2 scalded milk
1/4 teaspoon vanilla

Combine eggs, sugar and salt; slowly add the milk and vanilla extract. Pour into custard cups. Sprinkle with nutmeg.

Bake in a pan of hot water in a moderate oven (325 deg. F.) until mixture doesn't adhere to a knife. About 40 minutes.

Serve warm or chill and serve cold.

FRENCH ICE CREAM

Scald 1 cup milk and add to it:
4 eggs beaten until light
1/2 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla

Fold in 1 quart of cream whipped stiff. Put into freezing tray and freeze for 2 to 3 hours.

PATENTS

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THE TILLERS

WE'VE BEEN TRAVIN' AROUND ALL DAY AND MY HONEY'S NOT HOME YET. HE CAN'T COME 'TIL LATER. SO CAN'T WE GO HOME NOW?

CHRISTIAN SHOPPING TAKES A LOT OF TIME, PAW!

WE SHOULD BE FINISHED IN A COUPLE OF HOURS OR SO?

IM LOADED DOWN LIKE A MULE. I TALKED YOU INTO BRINGING SELLWEEST, SELLWEEST.

WELL, I GUESS WE'RE ALMOST FINISHED FOR THE DAY. YOU HAVEN'T GIVEN ME ANY HINT AS TO WHAT I'M GOING TO DO THIS YEAR!

OH, I DON'T WANT MUCH...

ONLY SIX BUCKLES OF GORE PLASTERS

British "Mums" And "Dads" Plan Trip To Canada

LONDON—Thoughts of a "someday" trip to Canada or the United States may soon become realities for thousands of British "mums" and "dads".

The parents of girls who married Canadians and returned to Britain during the war, some want to go just for a visit, some perhaps to stay. And with an effort now becoming national through the United States and Canadian War Brides' Parents' Association, that "someday" looks considerably nearer.

The idea was born two years ago at Oxford and spread through England and Wales. The organization now embraces more than 4,000 members, not including clubs in Scotland yet to be affiliated to the national body.

A similar organization has been established in Holland where hundreds of Canadians married Dutch girls during the war. The Dutch association hopes to organize a club to encourage Canadian mothers in Holland to come to Canada for trips to Holland.

In Britain branches of the U.S.C.B.P.A.—they're looking for a shorter name—are autonomous and control their own funds. Most a pound of postage stamps and a pound of jam from meager larders of mothers go toward success of social functions through which funds are being built up. Most clubs also have plans through which members can save money for a family trip.

Most members just want to see their daughters again. But some, like Mrs. Perry of Toronto,

"I don't think I'll come back," he said.

ALBERTA OIL PRODUCTION

CALGARY, ALTA.—Oil production in Alberta climbed to an all-time high last August, according to figures released by the Alberta Petroleum and Natural Resources Conservation board. Wells produced 1,104,113 barrels during the month, almost double the figure for the same month in 1947.

like that with Noble who plans next year to visit his daughter, Mrs. H. Perry of Toronto.

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SMITH - LACH

A wedding of interest to Blairstown was solemnized on Nov. 20 at 7 p.m. at St. Benedict's church in High River when Miss Alyce Nellie Lach, of Calgary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Lach of Blairstown, became the bride of Mr. Archibald James Smith, of Calgary, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith of Kelowna, B.C.

Rev. F. Vaughan-Birch officiated at the evening service before an altar banked with vases of white chrysanthemums.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a French blue crepe dress with matching wine accessories and a corsage of deep red roses and white carnations. Her only ornament was a pendant, a gift of the groom.

Miss Claire Bennett, of Calgary and formerly of Blairstown, was the bride's only attendant and for the occasion chose a rose crepe dress with matching mauve accessories and a corsage of mauve and white chrysanthemums.

Mr. Alfred Lemke of Calgary supported the groom.

A wedding supper was served at the High River Motel for immediate relatives and friends, and later a reception was held at the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jeffs, of High River. Rev. Vaughan-Birch proposed the toast to the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith left to spend their honeymoon in Banff, and on their return have made their home in Calgary. For travelling the bride donned a suit of wine gabardine complimented with a black hat and matching accessories.

Mr. E. W. Updyke returned to his home in Bellevue after attending the funeral of a relative at Shaunavon, Sask.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. "Bob" Shearer, of Blairstown, on Friday, December 3rd, a son, Douglas Richard, at Perry's maternity home.

Born at Perry's maternity home on Friday, Dec. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Akins, of North Cowley, on Thursday, Dec. 9, a daughter, at Perry's maternity home in Blairstown.

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Beer salesroom on west side of the ground floor of the Bellevue Inn, situated on Lots 22 to 25 inclusive, in Block 1, Plan No. Bellevue 6099 A.Q., Bellevue, Alberta.

Dated at Bellevue, Alberta, this 12th day of November, 1948.

KATHERINE C. DUNCAN,
per W.M. JAS. DUNCAN,
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Applicant:
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SPOKANE VICTORY

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First Aid Hints for . . .

MISCELLANEOUS INJURIES

FOREIGN BODY IN THE EAR CHANNEL

If an insect is in the ear channel, fill the ear with olive oil; when the insect will float and may be removed. Otherwise make no attempt to treat a patient with a foreign body in the ear, but take him to a doctor as soon as possible; attempts to remove the foreign body may lead to fatal consequences. If a child cannot be induced to keep the fingers from the ear, tie his hands down to prevent his pushing the foreign body further. Never syringe or probe the ear.

FOREIGN BODY IN THE NOSE

Instruct the patient to breathe through the mouth. Do not interfere with the foreign body, but take him to a doctor at once.

FOREIGN BODY IN THE STOMACH

Pins, and other small, sharp objects, may be accidentally swallowed. Give nothing by the mouth, but take the patient to a doctor at once. Smooth objects such as coins or buttons need not cause alarm.

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